

Commissioner – DR. A.L. (Bud) HALLOWELL



Dr. A.L. (Bud) Hallowell was born in Yakima, Washington. He graduated from Highline High School and attended Washington State College receiving his Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (DVM) degree in 1957. Dr. Hallowell practiced veterinary medicine in Washington from 1957 to 1963, and then spent the spring of 1964 in Kentucky furthering his education. When he returned to Washington he started a private equine practice, which encompassed all types of horse work including racetrack, show horse and breeding farms. The last twenty years he has specialized in work concerned with breeding and foaling horses mainly thoroughbreds.

He has been a commercial breeder of thoroughbreds since 1967 and an active member of the Washington Thoroughbred Breeders Association (WTBA). He has served as sales veterinarian and an advisor for many years. He currently serves on the Sales Committee and maintains a small breeding operation. He has served on various industry-related committees and advisory boards. Dr. Hallowell has studied racing and breeding in various parts of the US and the UK and been a speaker at society meetings and authored articles related to the industry.